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SCOUR OCEAN FOR ELUSIVE RAIDER

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pot supply ship Adamant. It is said that two other cruisers, yet unidentified, are rushing south to join the searchers.

The cruisers are at intervals sending out warnings to allied ships, giving the last two locations of the raider and advising entente merchantmen to avoid the known routes in the South Atlantic. Ships are also urged to send out warnings upon sighting any strange craft, giving their location and the direction in which the ship was proceeding when sighted.

Raider Is Believed to Have Armed Captives; Creates Consternation

New York, Jan. 19.—Notwithstanding the known activity of British warships, eleven of which are hurrying from many directions into South Atlantic waters in search of the German commerce destroyer which sank the Voltaire, Georgic and other entente vessels, increased apprehension was felt in marine circles to-day owing to undated credence which the shipping world in general has placed on overnight reports that the black raider, believed to be the famous Moewe, is not operating unassisted.

According to these reports, this fugitive raider carried several sets of armament and has furnished guns to at least two of her captive ships, the St. Theodore and the Yarrowdale. Other ways, as a precaution against which in turn became preying rovers. The Yarrowdale, British, is reported to have arrived at the Cape Verde Islands with the crews of eight of the ships which were sunk. Her early departure on a raiding mission would cause no surprise among shippers.

Reports as yet unconfirmed place the present whereabouts of the Moewe a considerable distance north of the Ireland-Brazil sea lanes, where her havoc was accomplished. Meanwhile the entente war vessels, aside from hunting down an active raiding squadron, are keeping close watch on several merchant vessels suspected of supplying the Moewe and her allies with food and of assisting them in other ways. As a precaution against an illegal use of Brazilian territory as a base of operations for the German ships a portion of the Brazilian navy is maneuvering off that country.

Submarine Fires Fifty Shells at Steamer Which Later Makes Its Escape

Portland, Maine, Jan. 19.—Officers of the British steamer Palma Branch, which arrived here yesterday from Cardiff via New York, reported to-day that a submarine fired fifty shots at the vessel while in the English Channel early in November.

Ten of twelve shots took effect, they said, one passing entirely through the ship above the water line. The steamer escaped by suddenly changing her course. A boy was struck and slightly injured.

The Palma Branch returned to Cardiff for repairs and the officers said they learned that the submarine later was captured or sunk.

No Americans So Far as Known Lost Lives Through Operations of Raider

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 19.—A division of the Brazilian navy left here to-day for maneuvers in the neighborhood of the Rio Janeiro roadstead. It is reported in well informed quarters that some of the warships will be detached to make a survey of the Brazilian coast as a precaution against Brazilian territory being used as a base for the

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PRUSSIAN DIET AIMS CRITICISM

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use of submarines, was far more moderate than on earlier occasions and was not characterized by attacks on the United States.

Paul Breitenbach, minister of public works, and the chancellor's second in the Prussian cabinet, said, in a carefully worded declaration in behalf of the government:

"This grave and difficult epoch requires ever-renewed discussion of what ways and means are to be adopted." He added, however, that he considered any expression of the government's views at present to be undesirable. Responsibility for decisions, he said, rested on the chancellor and he appealed to the patriotism of the House to support this difficult task by refraining from criticism of his policy—an appeal which the proceedings showed to be unnecessary. It was commented that even Dr.

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Von Heydebrand in advocating unrestricted submarine warfare demanded only at such time as the Emperor and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg found it to be advisable. He said:

"If we are to win a victory it is absolutely imperative to use the weapons which give us the possibility of winning a victory against the toughest and strongest adversary, England." "If our military authorities, the higher command and the Emperor find it suitable and timely to make the necessary use of unlimited submarine warfare the German and Prussian people will be prepared to bear the consequences."

Drastic U-Boat War and Increased Activity, Demanded in Diet

London, Jan. 19.—At yesterday's sitting of the Prussian Diet, says Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent, a number of speeches were delivered and great enthusiasm was shown in favor of the vigorous prosecution of the war and increased submarine activity.

Paul Breitenbach, Prussian minister of public works, said the rejection of German's peace offer had evoked a feeling that it was now a battle to the utmost for the Fatherland, adding that perhaps the heaviest fight was that of "truth against enemy lies."

He demanded that neutral interests shall not be allowed to interfere with Germany's struggle for victory and said:

"We must expect from every neutral that they do not lay stress on their interests where for us it is a fight for existence. Such interests must not prevent us from gaining a peace that will satisfy German aspirations and safeguard the world from new and similar catastrophes."

Dr. Von Heydebrand, the Conserv-

ative leader, and Dr. Herold, Centrist, in loudly applauded speeches, advocated that complete freedom be accorded the navy authorities to carry on unrestricted submarine warfare, declaring that the German people were ready to bear the consequences, for the entire Prussian people were now solidly behind the King to follow where he leads in the battle for victory.

"We demand," Von Heydebrand said, and is quoted as having said, "the restoration of our people's life to what it was before this terrible and lightly started war, and guarantees for the future which our enemies now demand from us."

Herr Von Kardorff, Free Conservative, referring to Poland, said the key to the entire question was to arrive at an understanding with the Roman Catholic Church as to its wishes concerning religious education.

Sharpening of Submarine Warfare Not Expected to Extend to Ruthless Methods

Berlin, Jan. 18, via London, Jan. 19.—The Bundesrat committee on foreign affairs which met here Tuesday under the presidency of the Bavarian premier, had a conference to-day with Reichstag party leaders and the chancellor which was concerned largely with the rejection of Germany's peace overtures by the entente.

A decision apparently has not yet been taken concerning a sharper submarine campaign. As this increase in underwater warfare is discussed in usually well informed quarters here the sharpening is not expected to extend to the "ruthless" methods and a breaking away from the understanding with the United States regarding due warning and adequate precautions for the safety of the crews for recognized merchantmen, but various methods for intensifying submarine practices are under consideration.

The uncompromising nature of the entente answers to the German peace overtures is largely responsible for this shift in public opinion.

The same desire to overcome complications with the United States and to arrive at peace on reasonable terms still prevails with a great majority of the people.

Peace, Food and Galician Affairs Discussed at Meeting

London, Jan. 19.—Premier Clam Martinic, of Austria, and General Hofer, head of the Austrian war feeding department, have had a conference on the food problem with Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, Foreign Secretary Zimmerman and Adolf Baer, German food controller, according to a Hague dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. The conference was mainly concerned with economic questions, including the distribution of the food consigned in Rumania. It is understood, however, that peace and Galician affairs were discussed exhaustively. The German press, according to the dispatch, treated the conference with marked coolness.

TWO EPIDEMICS BREAK 1916 DISEASE RECORD

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of typhoid fever occurred during a period of about two months. The epidemic was due almost entirely, health authorities claim, to contaminated ice cream. The death toll was much higher during this epidemic, 55 deaths resulting.

Big improvements were shown in contagious records for all other diseases. During the totals of the two epidemics only 990 cases were reported, far below records for previous years.

Cases of various diseases reported from January 1 to December 31, 1916, follow: Typhoid, 402; scarlet fever, 17; smallpox, 0; chickenpox, 192; diphtheria, 124; measles, 2,630; German measles, 14; whooping cough, 325; pneumonia, 44; erysipelas, 22; mumps, 48; ophthalmia, 14; scabies, 5; impetigo, 8; tetanus, 5; infantile paralysis, 6; tuberculosis, 219; total, 3,929.

Totals for 1915 follow: Typhoid, 93; scarlet fever, 38; smallpox, 1; chickenpox, 243; diphtheria, 139; measles, 28; German measles, 10; whooping cough, 335; pneumonia, 34; erysipelas, 42; mumps, 229; ophthalmia, 16; scabies, 5; impetigo, 10; tetanus, 0; infantile paralysis, 0; tuberculosis, 199; total, 1,425.

SCULLY FINALLY SEATED

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 19.—The Court of Errors and Appeals to-day by a vote of 7 to 7 affirmed the Supreme Court decision that a recount in the Third Congressional district was legal. This makes final the re-election of Congressman Thomas J. Scully, Democrat, from that district. On the first count Robert Carson, Republican, had an apparent majority.

HONOR MEMORY OF LEE

Richmond, Va., Jan. 19.—Robert E. Lee's memory was honored to-day throughout the South. The one hundred and tenth anniversary of his birth was observed as a holiday in all Southern States and memorial exercises were held in many cities and towns.

operations of the German raider. It is officially stated at the American consulate that the following Americans were among the crews of the ships sunk by the raider who have been landed at Pernambuco: Benjamin Stevens, Frank Magee, David Johnson, Fred Smith, Harry Picot, Guy Van Doern, Royal Gregory and an unnamed negro. These men were members of the crew of the St. Theodore which was captured on December 12, but not sunk. In addition to these another American, Charlie Jones, member of the crew of the steamer Minieh, captured on December 19, has arrived here. As far as is known no Americans lost their lives through the operations of the raider, but nothing has been learned in regard to the ships captured before January 12.

Yarrowdale Believed to Have 400 Survivors Aboard Is in Port

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 18.—The British steamer Yarrowdale with the crews of eight ships sunk by the German raider in the Atlantic arrived January 16 at Sao Vicente, Cape Verde Islands, according to reliable information received here.

It has been stated in unofficial dispatches that the Yarrowdale had on board 400 men of the crews of sunken ships.

DANE REPORTED SUNK

London, Jan. 19.—Lloyd's reports the sinking of the Danish steamship Dagmar.

FEARED NORWEGIAN LOST

London, Jan. 19.—Lloyd's reports

that the Norwegian steamship Berghusen is believed to have been sunk. The Berghusen, 3,606 tons gross, was last reported at Gibraltar on December 21 on her way from Genoa for Baltimore.

STEAMER SUBMARINED

Madrid, via Paris, Jan. 18.—The Spanish steamer Manuel, 2,419 tons, of Bilbao, has been sunk by a submarine. The crew was rescued by the Swedish steamer Karl.

HARD FIGHTING STILL RAGING IN RUMANIA

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ditions are not lacking, however, that the present comparatively pacific conditions are not likely to endure long, and in this connection the extreme southern sector of the line is being closely watched.

German Concentration in Alsace The French here occupy a considerable section of Alsace, the fighting line touching the Swiss border between Belfort and Basel. Concentration of masses of German troops across the line from Basel has recently been reported in Swiss newspapers and a belief is said to exist in Switzerland that the Germans contemplate an offensive with the object of freeing Alsace of the invaders.

The Swiss Federal Council early this week, while expressing confidence that none of the powers contemplated a violation of Swiss neutrality, ordered the mobilization of additional troops as a measure of precaution. Both Germany and France assured Switzerland recently that they would continue to respect her neutrality.

No Notable Change Neither Berlin nor Petrograd to-

day reports any notable change as the result of the fighting in Rumania. The Germans, according to their report, repulsed attacks north of Suchitza valley, on the Moldavian frontier. German long-range guns, the Russian statement announces, are bombarding Ocna, an important town on the lateral railway behind the Russian front in Southwestern Moldavia, doubtless with the object of interfering with Russian transportation on this line.

FIRST SHIP PASSES FLUSHING SINCE FALL OF ANTWERP

London, Jan. 19.—A Reuter dispatch from Flushing, Holland, to-day reports the German steamer Ursula Pisker passing there from Zeebrugge on her way to Antwerp. "This is the first German ship that has passed in this direction since the fall of Antwerp," the dispatch adds.

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